



## Cholla District Weekly Update

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I am pleased to report that Standard & Poor's has upgraded Glendale's bond rating for its General Obligation (GO) bonds from BBB+ to A+ with a stable outlook. This three-notch upgrade follows a series of Standard and Poor's downgrades starting in January 2012.

Standard & Poor's cites adequate budgetary performance with balanced operating results, very strong budgetary flexibility, with an available fund balance in fiscal 2015, very strong liquidity, and strong management with "good" financial policies and practices as reasons for the improved rating. This is Glendale's second bond rating upgrade from a financial rating agency this year which is the result of many difficult, but necessary, steps the city has taken to address its fiscal condition.

Always feel free to contact me with your questions or concerns. I value your input and opinion.

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### Cholla District Amenities



Foothills Recreation &  
Aquatic Center

## 2016 Shred Event

I am sponsoring a Shred event scheduled for April 9th from 8-11 a.m. at Sierra Verde Elementary School located at 7241 W Rose Garden Ln. This free shredding service is a valuable resource that can help you properly dispose of personal information that can lead to identity theft. Each household is limited to five (5) banker's boxes and due to demand, this service may conclude if trucks are full. I would like to thank the Glendale Police Department for their assistance in scheduling and facilitating this event. For additional information, please call 623-930-2250.

[Shred Event Flyer](#)

## Serve On A Glendale Board Or Commission

Citizen involvement and input is essential to the success of local government. By volunteering on a Glendale Board or Commission, Glendale residents provide valuable feedback to our elected officials and city leaders. I encourage you to consider submitting an application for appointment to one of Glendale's Boards and Commissions. For further information, please contact Kriss Carneal at 623-930-2814 or email her at [kcarneal@glendaleaz.com](mailto:kcarneal@glendaleaz.com).

[Click Here To Apply To A Board Or Commission](#)

[Cholla District Boards & Commissions Vacancies](#)

**Citizens Transportation Oversight Commission**

**Commission on Persons w/Disabilities**

**Community Development Advisory Committee**

## Traffic Updates/Restrictions

### **Greenway Road, 59th Avenue To 67th Avenue**

Greenway will be reduced to single lane from 59th avenue to 67th avenue to mill, overlay, and restripe the roadway. The improvements are scheduled from 3/14/16 - 3/24/16. For more information, please call 602-532-532-6250.

## City Announcements



Foothills Branch  
Library



Parks & Recreation  
Ramada Rentals



Parks & Recreation

**2016 Glendale Family Bike Ride Online Pre-  
Registration is OPEN!**

Join hundreds of riders  
for wonderful weather  
and great exercise at the  
**free annual Glendale  
Family Bike Ride on**



**Sunday, April 10 at Sahuaro Ranch Park**, located at  
59th Avenue and Mountain View Road.

This is a ride for all ages and features three routes -  
short, long, and extended (6, 15, or 23 miles) through  
Glendale's neighborhoods and sections of the  
Thunderbird Paseo, Skunk Creek pathways and  
across the pedestrian bicycle bridge.

[Click Here For More Information And To Register](#)

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